

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
First Quarter Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
January - March 2002**

Juvenile Court **LAUDERDALE**
Court Number **49**

January - March 2002 393 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting 333 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
2	OR	0.47% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
1	OR	0.23% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
4	OR	0.93% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
27	OR	6.28% Assault
0	OR	0.00% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
1	OR	0.23% Arson
4	OR	0.93% Aggravated Burglary
26	OR	6.05% Theft of Property
9	OR	2.09% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
3	OR	0.70% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00% Sale of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Other Drug Offenses
6	OR	1.40% Possession of Controlled Substances
1	OR	0.23% Criminal Attempt
0	OR	0.00% Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	OR	0.00% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
0	OR	0.00% Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Escape
0	OR	0.00% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
5	OR	1.16% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	OR	0.00% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
2	OR	0.47% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00% Filing a False Police Report
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Impersonation
31	OR	7.21% Disorderly Conduct
5	OR	1.16% Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
21	OR	4.88% Traffic
0	OR	0.00% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00% Contempt of Court
19	OR	4.42% Violation of Probation
1	OR	0.23% Violation of Aftercare
33	OR	7.67% Unruly Behavior
59	OR	13.72% Truancy
4	OR	0.93% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
2	OR	0.47% Possession of Tobacco Products
1	OR	0.23% Violation of a Valid Court Order
1	OR	0.23% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
31	OR	7.21% Dependency/Neglect
4	OR	0.93% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Review
13	OR	3.02% Custody
0	OR	0.00% Visitation
22	OR	5.12% Paternity/Legitimation
35	OR	8.14% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
57	OR	13.26% Other
430	OR	100.00% Total

Of the 393 Cases, There Were
Referral Source

430 Referral Sources

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93	OR	21.6% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
108	OR	25.1% Were Referred By Parents
20	OR	4.7% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
76	OR	17.7% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
45	OR	10.5% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
41	OR	9.5% Were Referred By Court Staff
3	OR	0.7% Were Referred By Social Agency
6	OR	1.4% Were Referred By Other Court
30	OR	7.0% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
1	OR	0.2% Were Unknown
7	OR	1.6% Other
430	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 393 Cases, There Were 430 Intake Actions
Intake Actions

388	OR	90.2% Petition Filed
26	OR	6.0% Motion Filed
16	OR	3.7% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
430	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 393 Cases:

Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
393	OR	100.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
393	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

0	OR	0.0% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
393	OR	100.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
393	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

333 Children

Age of Child At Referral

144	OR	43.2% Birth Through Age 10
28	OR	8.4% Ages 11 Through 12
43	OR	12.9% Ages 13 Through 14
77	OR	23.1% Ages 15 Through 16
40	OR	12.0% Age 17 Through 18
1	OR	0.3% Age 19 And Over
0	OR	0.0% Unknown/Not Reported
333	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

173	OR	52.0% Male
160	OR	48.0% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
333	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

155	OR	46.5% White
170	OR	51.1% African American
3	OR	0.9% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
3	OR	0.9% Mixed Race
2	OR	0.6% Unknown
333	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 333 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

0	OR	0.0% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

35	OR	10.5% Living With Both Biological Parents
2	OR	0.6% Living With Father And Stepmother
9	OR	2.7% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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203	OR	61.0% Living With Mother
18	OR	5.4% Living With Father
32	OR	9.6% Living With Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Living With Adoptive Parents
24	OR	7.2% Living With Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Living In A Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Living In A Residential Center
1	OR	0.3% Living In An Institution
4	OR	1.2% Living Independently
5	OR	1.5% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Other
333	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

253	OR	76.0% Were Enrolled In School
73	OR	21.9% Were Not Enrolled In School
7	OR	2.1% Unknown
333	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

0	OR	0.0% Too Young For School
0	OR	0.0% Pre-School
14	OR	4.2% Finished Kindergarten
10	OR	3.0% Finished Grade 1
15	OR	4.5% Finished Grade 2
17	OR	5.1% Finished Grade 3
10	OR	3.0% Finished Grade 4
18	OR	5.4% Finished Grade 5
15	OR	4.5% Finished Grade 6
19	OR	5.7% Finished Grade 7
27	OR	8.1% Finished Grade 8
32	OR	9.6% Finished Grade 9
33	OR	9.9% Finished Grade 10
10	OR	3.0% Finished Grade 11
2	OR	0.6% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
0	OR	0.0% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
83	OR	24.9% Never Been In School
28	OR	8.4% Unknown
333	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

35	OR	10.5% Were Enrolled In Special Education
273	OR	82.0% Not Enrolled In Special Education
25	OR	7.5% Unknown
333	OR	100.0% Total

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NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate

number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		959 Specific Case Outcomes
47	OR	4.90% Case Dismissed
1	OR	0.10% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
48	OR	5.01% Warned/Counseled
21	OR	2.19% Held Open For Review
38	OR	3.96% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
0	OR	0.00% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
19	OR	1.98% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
13	OR	1.36% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Defensive Driving School
7	OR	0.73% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
23	OR	2.40% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
29	OR	3.02% Fine
69	OR	7.19% Public Service
17	OR	1.77% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
49	OR	5.11% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
19	OR	1.98% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
14	OR	1.46% DCS Commitment/Custody
24	OR	2.50% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
29	OR	3.02% Other Intensive Probation
14	OR	1.46% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
2	OR	0.21% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
3	OR	0.31% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
134	OR	13.97% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Continued

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28	OR	2.92% Custody Changed
31	OR	3.23% Custody Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
14	OR	1.46% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
42	OR	4.38% Child Support Granted
2	OR	0.21% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
3	OR	0.31% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
219	OR	22.84% Other
959	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the 430 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

378	OR	87.9% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
52	OR	12.1% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
430	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 393 Cases Disposed,
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 430 Referral Reasons Was:

30	OR	7.0% Dismissed
3	OR	0.7% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
97	OR	22.6% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
60	OR	14.0% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
17	OR	4.0% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
52	OR	12.1% Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.0% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
153	OR	35.6% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
18	OR	4.2% Case Held Open
0	OR	0.0% Other
430	OR	100.0% Total